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\$12.85 Overcoats and Suits... \$9.75  
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## MEN'S MASS MEETING

Sunday, Jan. 20th,  
3:30 P. M.Y. M. C. A. GYMNASIUM,  
1736 G St. N. W.T. R. Thoburn, of Erie, Pa.  
The Illingworth Family Orchestra.

J. Walter Humphreys Will Sing.

FOR MEN.

## Our Specialties

Shaving Accessories,  
Shaving Mirrors,  
Shaving Brushes,  
Fine Razors,  
Fine Razor Strops.

Toilet and Manicure Sets.  
Each of the above items we have variety and quality. Many are our own special selections and will be found to possess the most desirable features.

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Are Your Shoes in Condition to Withstand This Slushy Weather?

We'll put an entire new bottom on your shoes and it won't cost you any more than is charged elsewhere for the half sole.

**WHOLE SOLE \$1.25**  
AND HEEL...  
Send them here, they'll be returned the next day like new.

Messineo Shoe Mfg. & Repair Co.,  
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**RANDLE HIGHLANDS**  
CAPITOL OF U. S.  
WHITE HOUSE

Randle Highlands is the same distance from the Capitol as Dupont Circle. The United States Realty Company broke all records in selling lots and villas in 1906, and expects to break its own record in 1907. Many purchasers made 100 per cent profit last year; greater opportunities this year. Lots, \$25 to \$500, on small monthly payments. Send for plat and prices and free automobile to see property. Go out and see city speed.

**U. S. REALTY CO.**  
7th St., La. Ave., and Pa. Ave. N. W.  
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**IDEAL PRESENT**

For the Bride would be a Carving Set. Buy it here. Carving Set, with handles in Selected Wood, Carved, Ivory Antiques, and Pearl.

**John B. Espey, 1010 Penna. Avenue**

## MORE MONEY NEEDED

Congress Is Blamed for Bad Condition of Streets.

## COMMISSIONERS ARE EFFICIENT

Acting Engineer Commissioner Morrow Says Area of Washington's Thoroughfares Has Increased and Necessary Repairs Cannot Be Made at Once for Lack of Funds.

That the condition of the streets and avenues of Washington and the District of Columbia is due not to the inefficiency of the Commissioners, but to the neglect of Congress in making a sufficient appropriation for repair work, is the opinion of Acting Engineer Commissioner Capt. Jay J. Morrow.

On Thursday Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, it is said, declared that many of the streets were in a deplorable condition, the responsibility for which rested on the Commissioners. The question under consideration by the Committee of the Whole in the House was an appropriation of \$300,000 for resurfacing and repairing concrete pavements. Mr. Hepburn moved that the appropriation be increased by \$200,000.

In the discussion that followed, Gen. Grosvenor, of Ohio, is reported to have said that he would like to see the Board of Commissioners composed of men experienced in the handling of money. Mr. Cooper, of Wisconsin, also is accredited with having raised the point that the conditions were due to want of properly auditing the accounts of the District government.

## Appropriation Too Small.

"The present condition of the streets and avenues," said Capt. Morrow yesterday, "was anticipated by the Commissioners four years ago, at which time they endeavored to secure an appropriation sufficient for the repairs. Congress, however, appropriated but \$200,000 for the purpose, the same appropriation being made each year, until 1906, when it was increased to \$300,000. Since 1902 practically a constant sum has been provided for this work, while the area of the pavements to be maintained has increased very largely."

In his report of the operation of the engineer department of the District of Columbia for the year ended June 30, 1905, Capt. Morrow says:

"The appropriation for repairs to streets, alleys, and roads, being considered available for the repair and replacement of asphalt pavements, has to take care of repairs to, and renewals of, macadam pavements within the city limits, repairs to asphalt block pavements, some of which have now reached a condition demanding a definite expenditure of repairs, repairs to sidewalks, and repairs to alley pavements. Generally from two-thirds to three-quarters of the appropriation is used for repair to asphalt, the ratio increasing in recent years."

## Laid Many Years Ago.

"It is desired to call attention to the fact that the largest areas of asphalt pavements laid in any fiscal year were those laid thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, and sixteen years ago under the appropriations for the fiscal years 1888-1892 inclusive, during which years the appropriations for work on streets and avenues increased from approximately \$50,000 a year to \$250,000 in 1888, \$415,000 in 1889, \$772,000 in 1890, \$652,200 in 1891, and \$400,000 in 1892.

"The yardage of asphalt pavement laid during these years varied from 130,000 to 210,000 square yards per year. All of this great yardage is almost worn out, some of it has already been resurfaced, and during the next few years much of it will require complete renewal and all of it will require increased attention by the patching gang."

## Commissioners Not Derelict.

"It may be seen from this report," said Capt. Morrow, "that the Commissioners have not been derelict in the discharge of their duties, having made every effort to secure a sufficient appropriation. Last year they succeeded in securing \$300,000, and it is hoped the same amount will be obtained this year.

"In many cities the life of an asphalt pavement is found to be from ten to twelve years. In Washington the pavements are expected to last from fifteen to twenty years, with an average of probably eighteen years before they have to be replaced. For several years it has been necessary to maintain by expensive repairs concrete areas that should have been resurfaced, but which could not be so treated on account of lack of funds."

## JUDGE BALLINGER ACCEPTS.

Will Be Commissioner of the General Land Office.

The President has offered to Judge R. A. Ballinger, of Seattle, the appointment of Commissioner of the General Land Office, to succeed W. A. Richards, and Judge Ballinger has signified his acceptance.

This appointment was first offered to Capt. "Jack" Greenway, the former Yale athlete and officer in Col. Roosevelt's regiment of Rough Riders, but Capt. Greenway declined it on account of his private business interests in Northern Minnesota. The place was then offered to Philip B. Stewart, of Colorado, but was declined for a similar reason.

Judge Ballinger is a graduate of Williams College, where he was a classmate of James R. Garfield, who is about to become Secretary of the Interior. He and Mr. Garfield have always been intimate personal friends.

## Sergeant Dunigan Commended.

Sergeant Dunigan is commended by Capt. W. H. Mathews, of the Fourth precinct, for his services in effecting the arrest of a colored man who, it is alleged, on Sunday, about a. m., entered the clothing store of Harry Sternberg, 725 Fourth and a-half street, and when surprised by Mr. and Mrs. Sternberg, shot at the former and knocked the latter down, escaping through a window.

## K. of C. to Get Hearing.

The Knights of Columbus, through Attorney J. Vincent Coughlin, have requested a hearing in the matter of the refusal of the assessor to grant a license for the Knights of Columbus Hall on account of the fact that a fire escape has not been erected on the building. Commissioner West yesterday recommended that the hearing be granted.

## MARKET NEWS.

RIGGS.

Go to E. T. Goodman for choice beef, lamb, and veal. Stand No. 34.

Wm. Jr. and J. J. Miller

Will have a supply of Dove meats and Loeffler's famous sausage; also German's country sausage, mull, and scrapple to-day. Stall No. 41, Western Market.

Lushy's Fancy Fruits and Vegetables. No. 6 Riggs Market.

## AMENDS EMBALMING LAWS.

Corporation Counsel Submits Alterations to Health Officer's Bill.

Corporation Counsel E. H. Thomas submitted to the Commissioners certain amendments to a bill drafted by Health Officer W. C. Woodward to regulate embalming in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

The bill provides that there shall be appointed by the Commissioners an embalmers' examining board consisting of five licensed embalmers, each of whom shall have been for the five years immediately preceding and during the term of his service actively engaged in embalming in the District. The Commissioners are authorized to appoint a board consisting of three registered physicians to pass upon the qualifications of the persons first nominated by the embalmers' examining board.

It is provided that every person desiring to practice embalming in the District shall apply to the board for a license. The Commissioners may revoke the license if in their opinion it has been obtained by fraud, or if the person to whom it has been issued is found to be addicted to such habits or to be suffering from any disease in such manner that he is deemed expedient that his license shall be revoked. The board shall hold meetings for the examination of applicants for license and for the transaction of other business on his second Thursday of January, April, July, and October of each year, and at such other times as the Commissioners may direct.

## OHIO WILL TRY LETCHMERE

Charged with Theft of Painting in Cincinnati.

Chief Justice Clinebaugh Orders Accused Extradited—Alleged to Have Broken Jail.

Charence Henri, alias Edward Letchemere, who is held, charged with having stolen from the National Museum a number of precious stones and other articles of value, will first have to stand trial in the courts of the State of Ohio, where he has a number of criminal charges pending against him.

Gov. Harris, of Ohio, having requested the extradition to Ohio of Henri, alias Letchemere, Chief Justice Clinebaugh, of the District Supreme Court, yesterday ordered that the requisition be honored. The governor of Ohio was represented by Assistant United States Attorney Froome Morris at the hearing, while Letchemere's interests were looked after by Attorney Ambrose, of this city. Pending the arrival of George W. Ryan, who is expected to be here to-day to receive the prisoner, Letchemere was placed in the custody of United States Marshal Palmer. Letchemere transgressed in the Buckeye State, it is alleged, in that he went to the museum at Cincinnati, where, after having made his selection, he snatched out a valuable diamond ring from the case, and, after nearly rolling it up, made a break for the door and succeeded in gaining his liberty. It was of short duration, however, as the Cincinnati sleuths were on his track and ran him to earth in no time. He was released on bond. He jumped his bail, but was captured and brought back to Ohio, where he was stowed away in the calaboose.

Henri "Hounded" his way out of jail, taking eight or nine fellow-prisoners along, and finally succeeded in reaching New York, where he became lost to the Ohio police, who were on the constant lookout for him. Feeling himself safe, Henri ventured forth and made tracks for this city. Being of an admiring, inquisitive, and taking turn of mind, he visited the National Museum, where he could not resist the bewitching glitter and brilliancy of a collection of specimen stones, a number of which he appropriated to himself, which led to his arrest. News of his capture reaching the ear of the Ohio police, they asked for his extradition.

## LOCAL MENTION.

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY.

Belasco—David Warfield, in "The Music Master," 2:30 and 8:15 p. m.

New National—John Drew, in "His House in Order," 2:30 and 8:15 p. m.

Columbia—Marie Cahill, in "Marrying Mary," 2:30 and 8:15 p. m.

Chase's—Polly vanvalde, 2:30 and 8:15 p. m.

Academy—The Gaiety, 2:30 and 8:15 p. m.

Majestic—Al H. Wilson, in "Mets in the Alps," 2:30 and 8:15 p. m.

New Lyceum—The High School Girls, in "Leslie," 2:30 and 8:15 p. m.

Convention Hall—Roller skating—morning, afternoon, and evening.

## EXCURSIONS TO-DAY.

To Fort Monroe, Norfolk, Newport News, and all points South—Washington steamers every day in the year at 6:30 a. m.

To Mount Vernon—Electric trains leave Twelfth street and Pennsylvania avenue every hour from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

To Alexandria—Ferry steamer Callahan hourly from 6:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m.

To Rock Creek Park, Zoological Park, Chevy Chase, and Kensington—Cars from Fifteenth street and New York avenue every fifteen minutes.

## Years Ahead of the Pure Food Law.

The importance of cleanliness and purity has always been recognized in making Schneider's "Milk" Brand. Your tubs should be supplied with it. Grocers.

## Petition in Bankruptcy Filed.

William Brown, a local dry goods dealer, yesterday filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. He states his liabilities at \$1,231, and his assets at \$250. Leon Tobriner appears as Brown's attorney.

## Look for the testimonials about

American Home and Store Company's Detachable Ice Cakes in Sunday Herald. 60 E St. N. W. Telephone Main 3105.

## Catharin Weather.

If you suffer, consult us. J. J. Georges & Son, Inc., Fort Specialists, 1211 Pa. ave.

## Be in Style.

Have a National Inverted Gas Light put up; save gas. C. A. Muddiman & Co., 1294 G St. N. W.

## Parissiana Rye, a Superior Quality

whisky. It is recommended to those who want a good whisky for use in the home as a tonic or beverage. It will prove just right. Phone N. 528. Three Feathers, 315 1/2 block. Wm. Cannon, 1225 7th St. N. W.

## J. Adam Bede to Lecture.

A lecture will be given by the Hon. J. Adam Bede this afternoon at 2:30 in the Reading Room for the Blind at the Library of Congress.

## Hungarian Gypsy Orchestra at Park

Hotel, Winter Garden, Rattelscher, N. Y. ave. and 11th St. F. Endres, Prop.

## Free Lessons in Hand Embroidery.

Davis Sewing Machine Agency, 913 9th St.

## "Star of the East" Flour, \$4.75 Bbl.

\$1.30 14 Bbl.; 4 Cys. Best 2000's, 2 Cys. 1000's, 2 Cys. 500's, 2 Cys. 250's, 2 Cys. 125's, 2 Cys. 62 1/2's, 2 Cys. 31 1/4's, 2 Cys. 15 1/2's, 2 Cys. 7 1/4's, 2 Cys. 3 1/2's, 2 Cys. 1 3/4's, 2 Cys. 7/8's, 2 Cys. 3/4's, 2 Cys. 1/2's, 2 Cys. 1/4's, 2 Cys. 1/8's, 2 Cys. 1/16's, 2 Cys. 1/32's, 2 Cys. 1/64's, 2 Cys. 1/128's, 2 Cys. 1/256's, 2 Cys. 1/512's, 2 Cys. 1/1024's, 2 Cys. 1/2048's, 2 Cys. 1/4096's, 2 Cys. 1/8192's, 2 Cys. 1/16384's, 2 Cys. 1/32768's, 2 Cys. 1/65536's, 2 Cys. 1/131072's, 2 Cys. 1/262144's, 2 Cys. 1/524288's, 2 Cys. 1/1048576's, 2 Cys. 1/2097152's, 2 Cys. 1/4194304's, 2 Cys. 1/8388608's, 2 Cys. 1/16777216's, 2 Cys. 1/33554432's, 2 Cys. 1/67108864's, 2 Cys. 1/134217728's, 2 Cys. 1/268435456's, 2 Cys. 1/536870912's, 2 Cys. 1/1073741824's, 2 Cys. 1/2147483648's, 2 Cys. 1/4294967296's, 2 Cys. 1/8589934592's, 2 Cys. 1/17179869184's, 2 Cys. 1/34359738368's, 2 Cys. 1/68719476736's, 2 Cys. 1/137438953472's, 2 Cys. 1/274877906944's, 2 Cys. 1/549755813888's, 2 Cys. 1/1099511627776's, 2 Cys. 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